

REMARKS

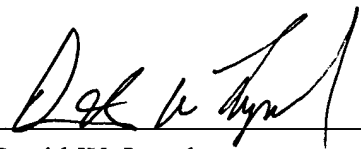
In response to the Restriction Requirement of April 12, 2005, requiring election of species, i.e., species I - Fig. 4 and species II - Fig. 16, Applicants provisionally elect species I, Fig. 4. Further, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 1-11, 13-23 and 25-33 are readable upon the species illustrated by Fig. 4.

Moreover, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 1, 13 and 25 are generic.

Applicants reserve the right without prejudice to have the non-elected claims considered upon the allowance of the elected claims.

An action on the merits and a Notice of Allowance thereof are respectfully requested.

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